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Duxbury Clipper

Duxbury Architecture Lecture

The Duxbury Rural and Historical Society will host this summer's final lecture of the King Caesar Morning Lecture Series on August 6th at 10 am at the King Caesar Barn.

Over the past two years, Ms. Karen L. Davis, preservation consultant, has conducted field work and documentary research on approximately 270 Duxbury properties. Through slides and lecture, she will present the highlights of her findings. She will comment on the purpose and scope of the survey, offer tips on researching Duxbury houses, and present an overview of the architectural history of the town as revealed by its buildings.

The survey was a two year project funded by the town, under the supervision of the Duxbury Historical Commission, and a grant from the Massachusetts Historical Commission. Copies of the final report and narratives on the individual buildings surveyed in 2001 are available at the Duxbury Free Library and the Duxbury Rural and Historical Society. Copies of the 2002 survey will be available shortly in those locations.

Refreshments will be served starting at 10, and the lecture will be commence at 10.30. The ticket price for the lecture is \$6. For further information please call the Duxbury Rural and Historical Society at 781-934-6106.



Karen Davis researching the architectural history of Duxbury. The house in the background, now on Gray Gardens West, Cambridge, once stood at Halls Corner.